

Judicial Council of Georgia Administrative Office of the Courts

Georgia Commission on Child Support Statute Review Subcommittee Kathleen "Katie" Connell, Co-Chair Judge Connie L. Williford, Co-Chair



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AGENDA

- I. Welcome and Housekeeping Co-Chair Katie Connell & Co-Chair Judge Connie Williford
- II. Meeting Minutes, August 12, 2022 Co-Chair Katie Connell
- III. Old Business
 - **A. HB 481, Life Act Definition of Child, OCGA 19-6-15(a.1)** Staff Attorney Noelle Lagueux-Alvarez
 - **B.** Parenting Time Deviation Co-Chair Judge Connie Williford
 - 1. Resolution for Legislative Study Committee on Parenting Time
 - 2. Contract with Dr. Jane Venohr on Parenting Time
 - C. Consider Extraordinary Expenses Handled Outside the Calculator Co-Chair Katie Connell
 - D. Continue Discussion on the Five Items Outside the Scope of the Parenting Time Deviation Study Committee Report: (Pages 15 and 16 of the report.)
 - 1. The 7% issue (special expenses incurred for child rearing). Letter C above addresses this issue.
 - 2. Consideration of split parenting situations.

 Staff recommends tabling this item for now but including it in the scope of services in the contract with Dr. Venohr.

- 3. Calculator considerations.

 Staff recommends tabling this item for now until the method for calculating parenting time is determined. Staff is aware the calculator will have to carry out what the statute requires.
- 4. Parenting time adjustment as statutory basis for modification of child support. Staff notes this is a policy decision that will have to be determined.
- 5. Consideration should be given to a change in semantics from the statutory language presently used of "custodial parent" and "non-custodial parent."
- IV. New Business Co-Chair Katie Connell & Co-Chair Judge Connie Williford
 - Determining Noncustodial Parent in Cases of 50/50 Joint Physical Custody
 - E. Schedule Next Meeting and Adjourn—Co-Chair Katie Connell & Co-Chair Judge Connie Williford and Staff